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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DRYING AND KEEPING DRY ESPECIALLY COLD-ROLLED STRIP IN THE DELIVERY AREA OF COLD-ROLLING AND STRIP-ROLLING PLANTS

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